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Interstate 680

Roadway Repair and Concrete Grinding Project

Beginning September 2013, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will begin repairing the roadway of Interstate 680 (I-680) in Concord and Pleasant Hill, between Monument Boulevard and the I-680/State Route (SR) 242 split. The work will take place Monday through Friday, from 8:00 p.m. to 5: 00 a.m., and on Saturdays and Sundays, from 9:00 p.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Due to the traffic on I-680 and concerns for worker safety, this work must be performed at night. Demolition of concrete slabs can be a noisy activity, since it involves saw cutting and concrete removal. Vehicles will also have backup safety alarms. Residents should expect to hear this work for several nights per week, until the work is completed. Caltrans will monitor the noise and will work with the contractor to minimize the impact to residents. This work will continue for several months.

After replacing the concrete slabs, the contractor will grind and groove the roadway for smooth riding and reduced freeway noise.

This work will require various lane closures. At times, when working near Monument Boulevard or the I-680/SR 242 split, there may be road closures with detours to city streets. Please be alert for workers, follow detour signs, and slow for the cone zone.

Caltrans regrets the inconvenience and thanks the community for their patience during this construction project.



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Information regarding road closures will be sent to the media and posted on the Caltrans website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist4. For other questions or concerns about the project, call (510) 286-5543.

